

**PATENT APPLICATION**  
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Docket No: Q80427

Johan THEVELEIN

Appln. No.: 10/796,166

Group Art Unit: 1636

Confirmation No.: 3449

Examiner: Michele K. JOIKE

Filed: March 10, 2004

For: NEW STRAINS "FIL", STRESS-RESISTANT UNDER FERMENTATION AND/OR GROWTH CONDITIONS

**STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Please review and enter the following remarks summarizing the interview conducted on

March 26, 2009:

**REMARKS**

An Examiner's Interview Summary Record (PTO-413) was mailed April 2, 2009

During the interview, the following was discussed:

1. Brief description of exhibits or demonstration: None.
2. Identification of claims discussed: Pending claims.
3. Identification of art discussed: Xue et al.
4. Identification of principal proposed amendments: Applicants' representative

proposed amending claim 7 as shown in the Amendment filed March 30, 2009.

5. Brief Identification of principal arguments: None.

6. Indication of other pertinent matters discussed: None.

7. Results of Interview: No agreement was reached.

It is respectfully submitted that the instant STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW complies with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §§1.2 and 1.133 and MPEP §713.04.

**It is believed that no petition or fee is required.** However, if the USPTO deems otherwise, Applicant hereby petitions for any extension of time which may be required to maintain the pendency of this case, and any required fee, except for the Issue Fee, for such extension is to be charged to Deposit Account No. 19-4880.

Respectfully submitted,

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